

Northwest Region
Hometown Health Improvement
December 2013

Baxter County

LHU Administrator: Lou Anne McClendon

PLEASE WRITE A SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES (WHO, WHAT, WHEN & WHERE) AND INDICATE IF AN OUTREACH FORM WAS SUBMITTED DURING THIS REPORTING PERIOD BESIDE THE APPROPRIATE PUBLIC HEALTH INITIATIVE:

AGING POPULATION		Mruk family center on Aging has a senior health center staffed with ANP, social worker and overseen by Dr. Paden. Faith and Health with Dr. David Lipschitz Dec 3rd. Dec.5 th Inflammatory bowel with Dr. Moore. Ideas for Giving Homemade Gifts with Estella Tullgren Dec. 11 th .
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		3D mammogram provided by BRMC mobile unit at BCHU every 6 weeks
BREASTFEEDING		Schliemann Center for Women's Health Education: Breastfeeding education Dec. 23 rd . Partnering with Women's Health Center at ABMC to provide education and promote breastfeeding, Breastfeeding support Pregnancy Resource Center. Lactation support at Schliemann Center for Women's Health Education every Tuesday.
CANCER		Breast Cancer survivors meeting at Peitz cancer support group. Chatting needles for cancer survivors and friends every Wed. in Dec. at the Peitz cancer support group. Men with Cancer support group Dec. 11th. at Peitz house. Healthy steps exercise for cancer survivors every Thursday at the Peitz Cancer support House. Peitz Cancer Support House: What you need to know series: Cancer Dec. 3rd. Treatments Dec. 10th, Support/resources Dec. 17th and Nutrition Dec. 31st. Jan Halligan, dietician, discussed nutritional needs of cancer patients at the Peitz Cancer House Dec. 30th
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		Partnering with Baxter Co. Alternative School to promote drug abuse awareness.
DIABETES		Diabetes Wellness at Reppell Diabetes Learning Center Dec. 23 rd . Mountain Home Christian Clinic Free diabetic education, cooking classes, free testing supplies, free diabetic meds.
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		Act 811 posters and info
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		Mountain Home Christian Clinic, BRMC stroke support group MRUK center
IMMUNIZATION		Treasure chest toys to promote IMMS given to each child receiving imms.
INFANT MORTALITY		Parenting classes BRMC, Back To Sleep BCHU, free baby blankets provided to all new baby's in WIC
INJURY PREVENTION		Posters in BCHU waiting room with warnings about medication and the need to keep out of children's reach.
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		Overeaters anonymous First United Methodist Church every Monday

ORAL HEALTH		Free tooth brush given to WIC clients with info on dental care
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		TOPS 131, Redeemer Lutheran Church, Fitness for Men Oakland community center, Senior exercise First Baptist Church, PEPPI Van Matre senior center, Yoga for Cancer survivors Peitz cancer support house, Strong Women Norfolk United Methodist Church, Healthy steps exercise for cancer survivors PEITZ cancer support house, Chair Yoga Van Matre senior center. Strong women exercise Classes at Mruk Family Education center on Aging every Tues. and Thurs. Fitness for Men every Mon. Wed. and Friday.
STD/AIDS/HIV		STD/AIDS/HIV info education BCHU
TEEN PREGNANCY		Mountain Home Pregnancy Resource Center, assists with planned and unplanned pregnancy, Free ultrasounds Schliemann Center for Women's Health education Teen Girls, Self-esteem. Dec. 31 st .
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		Teen substance Abuse classes every Tuesday in Dec. 3 at The Family Resource Center. Peitz Cancer providing free smoking cessation classes Dec. 16 th and 30 th . Mountain Home Christian Clinic offers smoking cessation classes.
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		ASU Mountain Home, Baxter Co. government, Baxter Healthcare, BRMC
OTHERS:		Growing through Grief BRMC home health and Hospice building Dec 11.

NETWORKING THIS MONTH (ELECTED OFFICIALS, COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS):

DATE/ LOCATION	NAME OF CONTACT & SHORT OUTCOME
12/04/2013 Baxter Co. Health Unit.	Met with Jennifer Patrick from Department of Workforce regarding services of the health unit.

ALL PRESENTATIONS

DATE & LOCATION	AUDIENCE TARGET & SUBJECT MATTER
12/13/13 Baxter Co. Health Unit.	Met with Chamber of Commerce Leadership class to discuss services of the health unit and gave them a tour of building. 13 members. Gave each one a list of our services and the Baxter Co. Health Facts pamphlet.

ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS, I.E. ANYTHING RELATED TO HHI

DATE	ACTIVITY/ TASK
Every Monday 8-9	Weekly clinic meetings and updates.

OTHER: BEST PRACTICES, PROGRAM & ACTIVITY TITLES, CONTACTS & RESOURCES TO SHARE WITH OTHER LHU

ADMS:

NAME, TITLE, CONTACT	ACTIVITY/ TASK
First United Methodist Women	Caps and mittens for children, clothes for infants from the Happy Birthday Jesus party and toothbrushes
Chatting Needles	Layettes for boys and girls. They buy these clothes at yard sales and wash them and quilt a new blanket for each layette.

Benton County

LHU Administrator: Loy Bailey

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
Benton County Community Coalition	Presentation/update on the National Children's Study involving Benton County
Bridges to Wellness Board Meeting	

Boone County

LHU Administrator: Tammi McCutchen\

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AGING POPULATION		Parkinson's Disease Support Group meeting 12/10/13, NAC Center Campus
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		Substance Abuse committee meeting 12/09/13. Discussed new project ideas along with drug and alcohol abuse prevention.
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		BF peer counselor "breast feeding room" established, patients utilizing room when in LHU. To date we have 3-4 patients per month utilizing the room.
CANCER		Boone County Cancer Dialogue Group 12/02/13, and 12/16/13. NARMC to host prostate cancer screenings 12/13/13.
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		CHRC Diabetes Support Group Meeting – Community Support Group 12/12/13.
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		Meeting with Mike Smithyman OEM, Boone County, discussed "shelters" and weather for upcoming winter. Meeting held 12/05/13.
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		Safe Routes to school Meeting held 12/18/13, held at Durand Center, discussed new projects for upcoming year.
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		Youth Diabetic Support Group Meeting 12/12/13 at NAC South Campus.
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS: CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP MEETING		Caregivers Support Group Meeting 12/4/13.
OTHERS: GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP		Grief Support Group meeting 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/31, at First Presbyterian Church.
OTHERS: NAPHE BOARD MEETING		NAPHE Board Meeting held 12/11/13.
OTHERS: WELLNESS COMMITTEE MEETING		Wellness Committee meeting held 12/12/13 at Harrison Administration Building.

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
HHI Executive Committee Meeting	12/19/13 meeting held at Local Health Unit discussed future projects of HHI. (Planning Meeting) held with Scott Swanson re: Recovery project for Boone County.
New Administrators Meeting	New Administrators meeting held at Regional office 12/17/13.
NW Hospital Group Meeting	12/23/13 NW hospitals discussed AWIN radios, emergency plans etc.
Substance Abuse Committee Meeting	12/09/13, Durrand Center, substance abuse committee meeting. New project planning meeting.

GRANTS APPLIED (AP) FOR AND/OR AWARDED (AW) IN THE COMMUNITY THIS MONTH:

GRANTORS/AMOUNT	SHORT SUMMARY OF GOALS FOR TARGET AREAS ADDRESSED	AP OR AW
Robert Wood Johnson Grant	Amount of \$360,000.00 – Healthy Kids Healthy Ozarks	AW
AmeriCorps Vista project site grant	Amount of \$529,136.00 – Vista project site grant.	AW
ADH community based tobacco prevention and education program	Amount \$75,000.00 – Tobacco prevention and education	AW
Susan G. Komen Grant	Amount \$75,000.00 - Breast Care Awareness/ Breast Cancer Prevention	AW

ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS, I.E. ANYTHING RELATED TO HHI

DATE	ACTIVITY/ TASK
12/19/13 HHI Executive Committee Meeting	Meeting held with HHI executive committee, discussion of upcoming projects for HHI and planning for 2014.

Carroll County

LHU Administrator: Sherri Plumlee

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AGING POPULATION	NO V	CLASSES AT SENIOR SENIOR CENTER
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		MEETINGS IN EUREKA AND BERRYVILLE
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		MERCY HOSPITAL SUPPORT GROUP
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		MONTHLY RADIO CHECK WITH HOSPITALS, WKL WITH STATE
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		Berryville elementary and intermediate schools- grant for fresh fruits and veggies. Master gardener classes with 5 th graders on Mondays.
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		Community center cardio classes, swimming
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		Outreach with WIC/FP/STD clients
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		

NETWORKING THIS MONTH (ELECTED OFFICIALS, COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS):

DATE/ LOCATION	NAME OF CONTACT & SHORT OUTCOME
MONTHLY	WITH COUNTY JUDGE AND HEALTH OFFICE ON LHU ISSUES

ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS, I.E. ANYTHING RELATED TO HHI

DATE	ACTIVITY/ TASK
12/30/13	Meeting with Cassie to update LHU goals and profile

Conway County**LHU Administrator: Jaynie Jones**

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE	X	Pamphlets out in the County
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS MEETING		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY	X	Taking off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) met at LHU Thursday pm
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY	X	Silver Sneakers program meet weekly at C-4 Community Center. TOPS- Taking off Pounds Sensibly meeting at LHU Thursday evening.
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY	X	12-05-13 Met with Melinda Neeley on SOS teen Pregnancy to set up Booth @ LHU on December 9 th , 2013 From 8:00am to 3:00pm
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION	X	<p>Here is the support letter I am referring to. Please sign in blue ink. I will come and get it from you tomorrow. Thanks so much!</p> <p>Arkansas Department of Health Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Program 4815 West Markham Street, Slot 3 Little Rock, AR 72205</p> <p>RE: Conway County Academic/Youth and Young Adult Community-Focused Grant</p> <p>To Whom It May Concern:</p> <p>Conway County Health Unit has supported the tobacco prevention efforts conducted in Conway County through the application made by the Conway County Hometown Health/ATOD Prevention Coalition. Great strides have been made in lowering the use of tobacco products in our community.</p> <p>As a community member, we will participate in the community tobacco grants work plan activities. We understand that there</p>

		<p>will be times that we will be called upon to help achieve an activity, such as working a booth at a community event or other tobacco prevention activities.</p> <p>We want to take this opportunity to continue our support for this tobacco prevention effort. We understand that we have a responsibility in each of the 4 goal areas of the work plan.</p> <p>Please continue to invest in our community by funding this proposal.</p> <p>Sincerely, Jaynie Jones</p> <p>12-05-13 Met with Melinda Neeley on SOS teen Pregnancy to set up Booth @ LHU on December 9th, 2013 From 8:00am to 3:00pm</p> <p>Hi Jaynie, below is what I reported about the table set up at Conway County Health Unit for the WIC patients on 12/17/2013:</p> <p><i>Since my first booth setup on 12/9/2013 was successful but the maternity clientele was very small and it had also been a bad weather day, Jaynie Jones, Administrator, asked me to come back and target the WIC population today, 12/17/2013. This was another collaborative effort with the Conway County Health Dept. to reach mothers and their families who might be using tobacco. There is a VERY high rate of tobacco use among families in the WIC program. There were other clients besides WIC coming in as well, so there was a variety of demographics reached. Therefore, I came with a wide array of information that would hit all age brackets. This table provided all of the SOS brochures/cards about the harms to baby when pregnant: onesie cards, "When You're a Mother You're Smoking for Two," "Everyone Needs a Reason to Quit Smoking" (ultrasound pic), as well as all of the regular informational brochures about smoking and the dangers to your health (cardiovascular, asthma, cancer). The table also provided information on Smokeless tobacco, and offered Act 811 cards, 1-800-QUIT-NOW cards, and Fax-Back Referrals. I also had interactive displays - Mr. Gross Mouth and the Tobacco Spinboard - which were effective in drawing in the children. Informational boards on secondhand smoke and the effects and hazards of smoking were used as the backdrop. This target group needs to be hit <u>OFTEN</u> but they are very difficult to reach - many turned their heads away when I explained why I was there, due to the fact that they</i></p>
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		<p>were tobacco users. Despite this, I reached approximately 20 people with my tobacco messages, and secured 2 fax-back referrals, 9 smoke-free home/car pledges, and 4 tobacco-free pledges. When I first got there that day, I asked the WIC rep at the health dept. if she would please refer tobacco-using clients to me after they concluded their meetings with her, if they indicated they were ready to quit, or even if they just wanted information. She was very cooperative, and this joint effort worked out well!</p> <p>Thanks so much, Jaynie, for letting me do this again! I hope I can come back to target this population again sometime this quarter. It is very much needed! Just let me know.</p> <p><i>Melinda Neeley, B.S., Prevention Specialist</i> Academic Tobacco Grant Coordinator for Conway County</p>
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LOCAL PUBLIC RELATIONS / MEDIA COVERAGE

NAME/TYPE OF MEDIA	TYPE OF EVENT (PRESENTATION, PRINT ARTICLE PUBLISHED, RADIO, ETC.)
KVOM 12/19/2013	<p>Good morning! Please email me with any news or announcements that need to be made on KVOM in the morning during the Coalition's regular spot. Gina Robinson has once again come through for us and will be going on the air on our behalf.</p> <p>Thank you!</p> <p><i>Melinda Neeley, B.S., Prevention Specialist</i></p> <p>KVOM- announcement open enrollment in the Health Insurance Marketplace is continuing at the Health Department.</p> <p>Anyone interested can stop by the Health Unit at 100 Hospital Drive or call 501-354-4652 to make an appointment with a licensed In-Person Assistor Guide.</p>

NETWORKING THIS MONTH (ELECTED OFFICIALS, COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS):

DATE/ LOCATION	NAME OF CONTACT & SHORT OUTCOME
	<p>Below is what Melinda Neely reported to ADH/TPCP about our collaborative effort to target pregnant teens/young mothers with tobacco prevention and cessation this morning:</p> <p>"After a meeting held on Nov. 19th, Conway County Health Dept. Administrator, Jaynie Jones, agreed to let me set up a table in the waiting room today as a collaborative effort with them to reach pregnant teens/women about the dangers of tobacco. Today was their day for seeing maternity patients. However, knowing there would be other patients coming in as well, and that there would be a variety of demographics, I came with a wide array of information that would hit all age brackets. This table provided all of the SOS brochures/cards about the harms to baby when pregnant (onesie cards, "When You're a Mother You're Smoking for Two," "Everyone Needs a Reason to Quit</p>

	<p>Smoking" (ultrasound pic), as well as all of the regular informational brochures about smoking and the dangers to your health (cardiovascular, asthma, cancer). The table also provided information on Smokeless tobacco, and offered Act 811 cards, 1-800-QUIT-NOW cards, and Fax-Back Referrals. I also had interactive displays - Mr. Gross Mouth and the Tobacco Spinboard - which were effective today with drawing in a few kids. Informational boards on secondhand smoke and the effects and hazards of smoking were used as the backdrop. I soon discovered that a large number of the patients seen at the Health Dept. are tobacco users, so this is an excellent place to do tobacco prevention work, but it makes it a little more difficult to reach them. One drawback: this event was held on a bad weather day due to the snow and ice, so patient traffic was slow. However, despite the weather, approximately 15 people were served, and 5 Home/Car and 3 tobacco-free pledges were secured. The children who were reached ranged in ages from 7 to 12, and there were 4 young mothers I spoke with, as well as the health department staff. I left the Health Dept. with some materials that the clinic doesn't have access to (Smoker's Calculator sliders). They would like me to come back on WIC day as another collaborative effort to try to target pregnant moms/young mothers again. This has been scheduled for Tuesday Dec. 17.</p>
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Crawford County

LHU Administrator: Michelle Hammer

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY		

TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS:		CCHEC meetings for November and December 2013 were postponed until 01/2014 due to flu clinics and holidays.

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RESOURCE DIRECTORY DEVELOPED	
ANY SURVEY (CAHS, CYHS, COUNTY HEALTH RANKINGS, YOUTH TOBACCO SURVEY, ETC.)	
COMMUNITY FLU CLINIC	
SCHOOL FLU CLINIC	School flu clinics were completed Nov. and Dec. 2013 on Mondays and Thursdays- last clinic was held on 12/16/13.
DISPENSING EXERCISE	
COUNTY HHI CELEBRATION	
SPONSORED TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY/COALITION	
OTHERS:	

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
LEPC meeting was held on 11/12/13	Emergency planning committee met on 11/12/13 at 15:00 at the Office of Emergency Management- next meeting planned for 02/2014

Franklin County

LHU Administrator: Rebecca Wright

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CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV	x	Discussed with Ozark school nurses
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING		

CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS: IPA	x	IPA promoted in community

Johnson County

LHU Administrator: Judy Bradley

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE	x	Kiwanis presentation on December 10 by Judy Bradley regarding the services of the Health Department.
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING	x	Kiwanis presentation on December 10 by Judy Bradley regarding the services of the Health Department.
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION	x	Kiwanis presentation on December 10 by Judy Bradley regarding the services of the Health Department.
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV	X	Kiwanis presentation on December 10 by Judy Bradley regarding the services of the Health Department.
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS: WIC	X	Kiwanis presentation on December 10 by Judy Bradley regarding the services of the Health Department.

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COMMUNITY FLU CLINIC	
SCHOOL FLU CLINIC	
DISPENSING EXERCISE	
COUNTY HHI CELEBRATION	

SPONSORED TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY/COALITION	
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MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
Judy Bradley	Johnson County Advisory Meeting for Community Development Institute Centers- Review goals met for year 2013 on December 4 th at the Johnson County DHS Office.
Johnson County Staff	Staff Meeting December 11 th , at the Johnson County Health Unit.
Judy Bradley	Kiwanis, December 13 th . Judy presented general information regarding all programs provided by the Health Department.

LOCAL PUBLIC RELATIONS / MEDIA COVERAGE

NAME/TYPE OF MEDIA	TYPE OF EVENT (PRESENTATION, PRINT ARTICLE PUBLISHED, RADIO, ETC.)
Graphic	Article published- Nutrition Tips U of A
Graphic	Article published=Breast Cancer Survivors at Risk for Osteoporosis and Fractures
Graphic	ADH Recommends Health Care Personnel Receive Flu Vaccine
Graphic	Arkansas is Ranked Seventh in Protecting Kids from Tobacco
Graphic	Tips offered to Keep Food and Water Safe During Power Outage
Graphic	Influenza Vaccination week help December 9-13.
Graphic	ADH Breast care Program to Continue Screening Services

GRANTS APPLIED (AP) FOR AND/OR AWARDED (AW) IN THE COMMUNITY THIS MONTH:

GRANTORS/AMOUNT	SHORT SUMMARY OF GOALS FOR TARGET AREAS ADDRESSED	AP OR AW
GIF Grants /\$61,000.	West Central Arkansas Planning and Development District awarded general improvement fund grants to each Fire Department in the amount of 2,500.00	AW

Logan County

LHU Administrator: Paula Beaty

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ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		Display for Breastfeeding promotion at North Logan County Health Unit.
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		12/10/13- Paula Beaty discussed with members of the Logan County Health Coalition- Car Seat Safety Training, Safety Baby Showers, 100 years Celebration, Tobacco Cessation, Great American Smokeout, and E-Cigarette policies.
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		12/10/13- Paula Beaty attended Magazine Wellness Meeting and gave updates on Immunizations policies, Flu Shots, and upcoming events for Car Seat and Tobacco Prevention.
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		Monthly radio checks with hospitals and weekly radio checks with state health
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		

HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		12/10/13- Paula Beaty attended Magazine Wellness Meeting and gave updates on Immunizations policies, Flu Shots, and upcoming events for Car Seat and Tobacco Prevention. Treasure chest toys to promote IMMS given to each child receiving imms.
INFANT MORTALITY		12/10/13- Paula Beaty discussed with members of the Logan County Health Coalition- Car Seat Safety Training, Safety Baby Showers, 100 years Celebration, Tobacco Cessation, Great American Smokeout, and E-Cigarette policies. 12/10/13- Paula Beaty attended Magazine Wellness Meeting and gave updates on Immunizations policies, Flu Shots, and upcoming events for Car Seat and Tobacco Prevention.
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ORAL HEALTH		
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YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS: IPA ACA		12/03/13- Paula met with Kim Boren and Sara Bates to discuss ACA and IPA program in Logan Paris and Logan Booneville. ACA promoted with WIC, FP, Maternity, and Breastcare clients. CLIENTS. Jessica Johnson, IPA doing outreach.
OTHERS:WIC		Pamphlets given to local daycares, community centers, and Headstart.

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SCHOOL FLU CLINIC	
DISPENSING EXERCISE	
COUNTY HHI CELEBRATION	100 Year Celebration 12/10/13 100 year celebration ongoing with lobby display and literature available to public.
SPONSORED TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY/COALITION	

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
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Magazine Wellness Clinic	12/10/13- Paula Beaty attended and gave updates on Immunizations policies, Flu Shots, and upcoming events for Car Seat and Tobacco Prevention.
Paula Beaty	12/17/13 Administrator's Meeting - Russellville

Madison County**LHU Administrator: Shana Villines**

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREASTFEEDING	X	Local health unit nurse takes pictures of breastfeeding moms and their children and showcases them on a bulletin board in our clinic room. We have monthly breastfeeding support group at Open Arms Pregnancy Center.
CANCER	X	We continue our Komen Breast Health Navigation Program. Monthly breast cancer support meeting. Komen Navigator attends Breast Conference in Fayetteville once per week. This is where area doctors and providers meet to discuss clients and treatment options.
CAR SEAT SAFETY	X	Installed 3 car seats this month.
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY	X	We are planning a Safety Baby Shower for Jan 2014
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBSESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY	X	Project FOCUS continues to work with our pregnant and parenting teens. We partner with them and give them condoms to distribute at our local high school. They refer teens to us for birth control. Currently sponsoring teen parenting classes.

TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION	X	Coordinator conducted Tobacco Merchant Training
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		

Marion County

LHU Administrator: Valerie Shipman

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AGING POPULATION	XX	STRONG WOMEN/FIT MEN, SILVER SNEAKERS, MRUK EDU CENTER
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER	XX	MRUK EDU CENTER
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES	XX	STRONG WOMEN/FIT MEN, SILVER SNEAKERS
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE	XX	MRUK EDU CENTER
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY	XX	STRONG WOMEN/ FIT MEN, SILVER SNEAKERS
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY	XX	STRONG WOMEN/ FIT MEN, SILVER SNEAKERS
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		

Newton County

LHU Administrator: Regina Tkachuk

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		The Bruce Wilburn "White Christmas Program and Dessert Extravaganza" benefit held on December 1st was a big success, raising more than \$600 for the Cancer Support Group.
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		Newton County Extension office provided gifts to low income children
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS: ASTHMA		
OTHERS: PROSTATE HEALTH		
OTHERS: DEPRESSION		

LOCAL PUBLIC RELATIONS / MEDIA COVERAGE

NAME/TYPE OF MEDIA	TYPE OF EVENT (PRESENTATION, PRINT ARTICLE PUBLISHED, RADIO, ETC.)
Jeff Dezort/Newton County Times	12/06/2013 Janet Voshell, representing the Hasty Lodge of Woodman of the World, recently presented a check to Betty Stivers representing the Newton County Christian Food Room.
Jeff Dezort/Newton County Times	Newton County Veterans Services Officer Vernie Heydenreich announced that his office had many serviceable coats available for free to anyone in need of one.
Jeff Dezort/Newton County Times	Newton County Extension office collected and distributed gifts to low income families.
Jeff Dezort/Newton County Times	12/06/2013 State Rep. David Branscum (R) of Marshall, played Santa Claus recently bringing a gift in the form of a check in the amount of \$5,263.15 to the Newton County Senior Activity & Wellness Center here.

ALL PRESENTATIONS

DATE & LOCATION	AUDIENCE TARGET & SUBJECT MATTER
12/20/2013	Mary Eakin presented on ACA at the Newton County PCA In-service

Pope County

LHU Administrator: Pam Sellers

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH	x	December 17 th Shared Immunization and Health Care Insurance information at CDI staff training meeting
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION	X	December 17 th Shared Immunization and Health Care Insurance information at CDI staff training meeting
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS:	x	Health Sub-committee planning Suicide prevention walk in Spring of 2014.

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RESOURCE DIRECTORY DEVELOPED	
ANY SURVEY (CAHS, CYHS, COUNTY HEALTH RANKINGS, YOUTH TOBACCO SURVEY, ETC.)	
COMMUNITY FLU CLINIC	
SCHOOL FLU CLINIC	
DISPENSING EXERCISE	
COUNTY HHI CELEBRATION	
SPONSORED TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY/COALITION	
OTHERS:	

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
Pam Sellers	December 10 th Quorum Court 2014 budget meetings.

LOCAL PUBLIC RELATIONS / MEDIA COVERAGE

NAME/TYPE OF MEDIA	TYPE OF EVENT (PRESENTATION, PRINT ARTICLE PUBLISHED, RADIO, ETC.)
Pam Sellers/Newspaper	Printed article in The Courier Newspaper for Flu cases interview 12/31/13. Published 01/01/14.

NETWORKING THIS MONTH (ELECTED OFFICIALS, COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS):

DATE/ LOCATION	NAME OF CONTACT & SHORT OUTCOME
December 10th	December 10 th Quorum Court 2014 budget meetings.
All month	Contact with local doctors to accept appointment of County Health Officer.

ALL PRESENTATIONS

DATE & LOCATION	AUDIENCE TARGET & SUBJECT MATTER
December 17th	Shared Immunization and Health Care Insurance information at CDI staff training meeting

Scott County

LHU Administrator: Darla Mortimore

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
Darla Mortimore	12/03/13 – Scott County Advisory Meeting
Darla Mortimore, Cyan Starr	12/12/13 - E-Rave training (videoconference) with representatives from each local funeral home, County Coroner and Deputy Coroner in attendance
Darla Mortimore	12/12/13 – MDT Meeting

NETWORKING THIS MONTH (ELECTED OFFICIALS, COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS):

DATE/ LOCATION	NAME OF CONTACT & SHORT OUTCOME
12/19/13 County Courthouse	Met with County Judge on 2014 budget and installation of generator at LHU

Searcy County

LHU Administrator: Libby Seftar

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AGING POPULATION	x	32 Searcy Co. participants continue on medication assistance program through OMHN. \$417,126.00 Rx's received year to date for a total of 740 medications. Walk with Ease, Tai Chi and general exercise classes weekly at the Sr. Center.
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION	x	Searcy co. Prevention Coalition delivered a goodie basket to the sheriff's office for their support and hard work with alcohol and drug prevention.
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING	X	Monthly BF/peer classes being offered at extension office by midwife Diana Nash.
CANCER	x	
CAR SEAT SAFETY	x	Car seats given to S.O. for use with children going to foster care.
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES	x	Area Agency on Aging offering free diabetic self-management education program.
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS	x	Nov. 16, joint exercise with Searcy Co. OEM, Boone Co. OEM and Red Cross Disaster Team to implement a new response plan for future disasters. Multi Agency Response Center developed. Red Cross hosted local blood drive at the Marshall High School.
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	x	Health Dept. working with Mayor regarding use of Hughes Springs for water source.
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION	x	Local food pantry's provided special Christmas boxes that were distributed in the community.
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY	x	Zumba classes and silver sneakers program 3x week at community center. Weekly weight watchers meetings held at community center. Fitness classes held weekly at Highland Court nursing home.
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY	x	15 Home visits by YMHF program coordinator Jewel Poole. Currently there are 4 MIECHV (Maternal Infant Early Childhood Home Visiting) families in

		Searcy co. which are funded by ACH. Referrals for YMHF program ongoing at clinic. Teen mothers and maternity patients referred to MIP program. Plans for YMHF group meetings at ADH made with Jewel. Effort to Outcome Training attended by Jewel and Kristen.
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION	x	SCPC float and booth held at County Christmas parade. Approx. 50 stopped by booth and received literature on drug/alcohol and tobacco prevention.
YOUTH OUTREACH	x	SWAT team meetings held at Marshall and St. Joe to begin planning youth summit in VanBuren Co. St. Joe students adopted angels through the angel tree program. They provided gifts to qualified families and donated money that was used to purchase turkeys.
WORKSITE WELLNESS		

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COMMUNITY FLU CLINIC	
SCHOOL FLU CLINIC	
DISPENSING EXERCISE	
COUNTY HHI CELEBRATION	100 year celebration ongoing with lobby display and literature available to public.
SPONSORED TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY/COALITION	

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
12/12/13	Health Committee meeting. Lunch provided by HTH. Reviewed committee power point and goals. 12 in attendance.
12/17/13	Planning meeting for Health Fair

LOCAL PUBLIC RELATIONS / MEDIA COVERAGE

NAME/TYPE OF MEDIA	TYPE OF EVENT (PRESENTATION, PRINT ARTICLE PUBLISHED, RADIO, ETC.)
12/12 and 12/19	Front page article regarding cease and desist letter from ADH to the City Mayor related to use of Hughes Springs water system.
12/19	Searcy County Prevention Coalition presented gift basket to Co. Sheriff
12/26	SOS quitline ad by SCPC.

GRANTS APPLIED (AP) FOR AND/OR AWARDED (AW) IN THE COMMUNITY THIS MONTH:

GRANTORS/AMOUNT	SHORT SUMMARY OF GOALS FOR TARGET AREAS ADDRESSED	AP OR AW
\$100,000.00	Searcy County School-Federal Farm to School grant (should know in 2014)	AP
\$1000.00	GHC mini grant for school garden program	AP

ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS, I.E. ANYTHING RELATED TO HHI

DATE	
Every Tuesday	Weekly clinic meetings
12/4/13	Training with Cathie Bodenhamer on CD/TB

Sebastian County**LHU Administrator: Jo Wester**

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		<p>Reynolds Cancer Support House: Holiday Message of Hope – Dec 9th, 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>Just in time for the holidays, Dr. Daniel Mackey, Cooper Clinic Oncology, will encourage and inspire as he shares his seasonal message about coping with cancer from a Christian perspective. Refreshments provided by Cooper Clinic.</p> <p>SUPPORT GROUP HIGHLIGHT:</p> <p>Co-Survivor / Caregiver Support meetings have been moved to Monday nights at 5:30 p.m. beginning the first week of September. This group encourages those who are helping a loved one through cancer diagnosis, treatment and beyond.</p> <p>Mixed Cancers Men’s Group held Monday nights at 5 p.m. is open to men who have been diagnosed with any type of cancer. Participants will benefit from the experience and camaraderie of their peers.</p>
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
HHI coalition meeting held	Vision planning was facilitated by Michael Brouri, DHS Division of

120313	Community Service & Nonprofit Support. The group agreed to focus their initial efforts on substance abuse education for youth. The vision statement: Improving the quality of life in Sebastian County. The mission and goals will be brainstormed at the January 7 th meeting, also facilitated by Mr. Brouri.
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NETWORKING THIS MONTH (ELECTED OFFICIALS, COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS):

DATE/ LOCATION	NAME OF CONTACT & SHORT OUTCOME
122313 DEM	Jeff Turner, DEM, Sebastian County, strategy planning for MDAG meeting. Planning meeting scheduled for 010314.

Van Buren County

LHU Administrator: Donna Branscum

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AGING POPULATION	x	Medication assistance program continues with 141 currently enrolled patients and \$13,286.11 Medications received in December. \$417, 126 received YTD. Hoping the new insurance exchange will help some of these patients receive benefits.
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION	x	TEA Coalition working on several projects through the DFC grant. HBO is working on a documentary on meth use in Van Buren County coming up and law enforcement has asked our Prosecuting attorney to work with them. TEA has distributed 691 lock boxes in the community to lock up their prescription medications to keep them out of the hands of young people. We are also working on adding new drop off boxes in the community for medications to prevent them from being added to our water system. We currently have 3 in VBC. Working on advertising them. Our local water company recently pulled large quantities of medications and syringes from the sewer system that clogged up equipment as well as being introduced into our water supply. VBC TEA Coalition website and facebook page have been updated and has great information.
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING	x	New BF Peer Counselor now taking referrals. Outreach being done in all local MD offices and pharmacies.
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES	x	Diabetes classes being offered at Ozark Health.
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS	x	Working on Emergency Planning meeting for February 7 th with Sara Daniel
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY	x	Young Moms/Healthy Families program continues with 14 current young moms. Will have a new goal of 29 admissions by September which is our maximum limit.
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION	x	Growing Healthy Communities committee continues with TEA Coalition
OBESITY	x	"
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		

STD/AIDS/HIV		
TEEN PREGNANCY	x	YMHF program continues. Had a Christmas party for participants on December 17 th that was well attended, with gifts provided by Santa.
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION	x	Tobacco Coordinator working on projects through OMHN with focus on advertising called "Operation Storefront".
YOUTH OUTREACH	x	THUGS (Teens Having United Goals) continues in all 3 schools. They helped with Christmas projects in December at the Local Nursing home. TEA Coalition is working on having a Teen Summit March 13 th .
WORKSITE WELLNESS		

NETWORKING THIS MONTH (ELECTED OFFICIALS, COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS):

DATE/ LOCATION	NAME OF CONTACT & SHORT OUTCOME
12/19/13	VBC TEA Coalition meeting

ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS, I.E. ANYTHING RELATED TO HHI

DATE	ACTIVITY/ TASK
12/16/13	Updated and reviewed Health and Safety Plan and met with IHS supervisors on workers comp claims.

Washington County

LHU Administrator: Robin Thomas

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ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION		
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING		
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH		
DIABETES		
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		Holly Robins discussed STD signs, symptoms, consequences, prevention and treatment at the Washington County Juvenile Detention Center on 12/26/2013. She also discussed Health Unit Services, Breast Care and the importance of health.
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		Holly Robins discussed STD signs, symptoms, consequences, prevention and treatment at the Washington County Juvenile Detention Center on 12/26/2013. She also discussed Health Unit Services, Breast Care and the importance of health.
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY		
STD/AIDS/HIV		Holly Robins discussed STD signs, symptoms, consequences, prevention and treatment at the Washington County Juvenile Detention Center on 12/26/2013. She also discussed Health Unit Services, Breast Care and the importance of health.
TEEN PREGNANCY		

TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		Holly Robins discussed STD signs, symptoms, consequences, prevention and treatment at the Washington County Juvenile Detention Center on 12/26/2013. She also discussed Health Unit Services, Breast Care and the importance of health.
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		
OTHERS: MARSHALLESE CULTURAL AWARENESS		Sandy Hainline did a presentation on the Marshallese Culture and Health Beliefs at the Children's Center in Lowell on 12/11/2013.

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
Grand Rounds	Robin Thomas attended via teleconference on December 5 th and 12 th .
NWA Safe Communities	Robin Thomas attended the NWA Safe Communities meeting on December 2 nd .
Project Right Choice	Robin Thomas attended the Project Right Choice meeting on December 17 th
NWA HHIP	Robin Thomas attended the NWA Hometown Health Improvement Project Coalition meeting on December 18 th

ALL PRESENTATIONS

DATE & LOCATION	AUDIENCE TARGET & SUBJECT MATTER
12/18/2013- NWA HHIP Meeting	Presented a brief overview of the services our clinic offers to the members of the coalition.

ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS, I.E. ANYTHING RELATED TO HHI

DATE	ACTIVITY/ TASK
December 17, 2013	Wrote letter of support for the American Lung Association- Plains Gulf Region and their bid to obtain funding to begin its tobacco control program in the Washington County community.

Yell County

LHU Administrator: JM Graves

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AGING POPULATION		
ALCOHOL & DRUG PREVENTION	X	
BREAST CARE		
BREASTFEEDING	X	
CANCER		
CAR SEAT SAFETY		
CHILD/SCHOOL HEALTH	X	
DIABETES	X	
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS		
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH		
FAMILY PLANNING		
HEART DISEASE/STROKE		
IMMUNIZATION		
INFANT MORTALITY		
INJURY PREVENTION		
NUTRITION		
OBESITY		
ORAL HEALTH		
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STD/AIDS/HIV		

TEEN PREGNANCY		
TOBACCO/SMOKING CESSATION		
YOUTH OUTREACH		
WORKSITE WELLNESS		

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ANY SURVEY (CAHS, CYHS, COUNTY HEALTH RANKINGS, YOUTH TOBACCO SURVEY, ETC.)	
COMMUNITY FLU CLINIC	Mass flu clinic Dardanelle and Danville
SCHOOL FLU CLINIC	School flu clinic Dardanelle ,Danville, Western Yell and Two Rivers Schools
DISPENSING EXERCISE	
COUNTY HHI CELEBRATION	
SPONSORED TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY/COALITION	

MEETINGS/ TRAININGS ATTENDED THIS MONTH (WHO, WHAT WHEN & WHERE)

NAME	TYPE OF MEETING/ TRAINING
Yell Co. Drug Coalition	Judging and pick of winner of county wide school Red Ribbon Poster Contest. Set record for amount of drugs received at drug take back.
Tri County Regional Water Board	No Dec meeting
Dardanelle School Wellness Committee	Discussed adding committee reports to annual superintendent report. Discussed Act 1507 use of public facilities for community activities to promote public health and well-being of school communities. Discussed community health fair for 2013/2014 year.